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December 20, 2002

Sara Kyle, Chairman Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243

RE:

Broadband Innovations, LLC

Docket No. 02-00819

Dear Mr. Werner:

Enclosed for filing with the Regulatory Authority, please find an original and fourteen (14) copies of the above captioned corporation's Response to Motion to Dismiss, including a Certificate of Service hereof.

Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions or concerns.

Very truly yours,

EARLY, LENNON, OROCKER & BARTOSIEWICZ, P.L.C.

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David G. Crocker

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BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

In re:	· \	
Broadband Innovations, LLC, Application for a for a Certificate to Provide Competing Local)	Docket No. 02-00819
Telecommunications Services within the State of Tennessee)	
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RESPONSE TO MOTION TO DISMISS

Broadband Innovations, LLC, by its attorneys, responds to the Motion to Dismiss filed by Aeneas Communications, LLC, as follows:

- 1. As Broadband has previously stated in response to Mr. Walker's allegations, Broadband has no contract with the Jackson Energy Authority and the appropriate proceeding for Mr. Walker's participation as counsel for Aeneas would be the necessary hearing to approve such a contract.
- 2. Broadband renews its objections to Mr. Walker's participation in these proceedings as counsel for Aeneas and requests the TRA to dismiss Aeneas as an intervening party or to limit the participation of Aeneas to the relevant and material aspects of this proceeding based on admissible evidence.
- 3. Broadband objects to the admission of the December 5, 2002, article submitted by Mr. Walker on the grounds of lack of authenticity, hearsay, relevancy and materiality, and requests that the filing be stricken from the docket.
- 4. Broadband requests that the TRA continue processing its Application in the usual manner and deny the Motion to Dismiss filed by Aeneas.

Dated: December 20, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

BROADBAND INNOVATIONS, LLC

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows on this 20th day of December, 2002:

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